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For: PROCESS FOR MANUFACTURING)
MORPHOLINO-NUCLEOTIDES, AND)
USE THEREOF FOR THE ANALYSIS)
OF AND LABELLING OF NUCLEIC)
ACID SEQUENCES)

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Prior to examination, please amend the subject application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence:

Gu "This application is a national phase of PCT/FR00/00427, and International Applications
Nos. 99/02170 and 99/12001, which was filed on February 22, 1999 and September 27,
1999 respectively, and was not published in English."